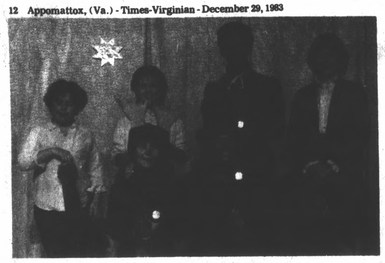

SHARE THE FUN JUNIOR DIVISION WINNERS: (standing, from left) Shannon Williams, Shana Harvey, Barbara Wynn, Mary Helen McLaughlin; kneeling - Kelly Hamlett, Robin Fuller.

SHARE THE FUN INTERMEDIATE DIVISION WINNERS - (standing, from left) Dawn Hancock, Teresa Burger, Terri Hamlett, Rhonda Ranson, Susan Watkins; (kneeling) - Robert Coleman, Amy Morris, Sally Inge.

SHARE THE FUN SENIOR DIVISION WINNERS - Lisa Williamson, Jennifer Coleman, Anne Hancock, Alice Jackson.

More than 200 attend 4-H 'Share the Fun' show

More than 200 persons attended the 1983 4-H Share-the-Fun Show last Thursday evening at the Appomattox County High School Auditorium. Forty-four 4-H'ers participated in the 27 acts that made up the fun-filled variety show. Featured in the show were acts chosen from more than 70 acts presented by 4-H members in November.

Following the final act, special awards were presented by Mr. Ronald Spiggle, Chairman of the Board of the Appomattox Branch of American

Federal Savings and Loan Association. American Federal has provided awards for Appomattox 4-H Share-the-Fun for the past three years. The performers in

Share-the-Fun were judged in three age groups: Juniors (9-11); Intermediates (12-13); and Seniors (14 and over); and in five talent categories including: Vocal, Instrumental, Dramatic, Dance and General.

Top winners in the Junior age group were as follows: **Dance:** Shannon Williams who danced to "Maniac;" **General:** Mary Helen McLaughlin who played and sang "Seeds Go Traveling"; **Vocal:** Shana Harvey who sang "Over the Rainbow"; **Dramatic:** Robin Fuller and Kelly Hamlett with an act called "Mother Moose Rhymes"; and **Instrumental:** Barbara Wynn who played "Big Bass Singer" on the piano.

Additional Junior age performers and the titles of their acts were as follows: Joyce Bailey and Catherine Lawson, "Little Brown Jug"; Mary Beth Hix and Ginny Sweet, "You Can't Get a Man with a Gun"; Jennifer Carnefix, Kerri McFadden, Stacy Staten, "The Little Radios"; Beth Scott and Tara Johnson, "The Two Hobos"; Amena Johnson, "November"; Jennifer Notestein, "Polka Dot Bikini"; and Roxanne Williams, "Razzle Dazzle."

The top Intermediate Age performers were as follows: **Dramatic:** Amy Morris and Sally Inge who performed a skit called "Slowly I Turned;" **Instrumental:** Robert Coleman who played "Chariots of Fire" on the piano; **Dance:** Teresa Burger, Terri Hamlett, Dawn Hancock and Rhonda Ranson who performed a dance act called "Strings"; and **General:** Susan Watkins who played and sang a medley of contemporary TV Tunes.

Other Intermediate age performers and their acts were as follows: Beth Marston, "Alexander–Who Used to Be Rich Last Sunday"; Rosa Lee Wheeler, "Yield Not to Temptation"; Tony Watkins and Sharon Watkins, "Let Me Tickle Your Fancy"; Christie Campbell, Dana Campbell and Kim Krantz, "Macho Duck".

To winners in the Senior Age Division were as follows: DANCE: Anne Hancock who danced to "Imagination"; VOCAL: Alice Jackson who sang "Shackled by the Heavy Burden"; GENERAL: Jennifer Coleman and Lisa Williamson who performed "You've Got a Friend". Other senior performers included: Alfreda Wheeler and Anne Jones, "When Was Jesus Born"; Tony Bailey, "The Lord Will Stand By Me"; Annette Turner and Ada Hunter, "Just Be Good to Me."

The 4-H Share-the-Fun program is held to provide young people with the opportunity to develop their talents and self confidence, while learning to enjoy performing. More than 125 young people were involved in Share-the-Fun programs this year.

Special thanks are extended to the 4-H Achievers Community Club for developing the theme of "Ho Ho Ho–4-H'ers on the Go" and the decorations for the 1983 Share-the-Fun program. Members helping were: Susan Carnefix, Sheri Williams, Dawn Hancock, Karen Gilliam and Kim Fuller.

The Teen Leaders 4-H Club assisted with emceeing (Brett Marston, Roger Guill and Martha Haley) the show; Backstage work with Props (Ernest Humbles, Bob Poole, Paul Humbles, Rhonda Morgan, Curtis Moore, Kenneth McClenny); Microphone Work (James Cash, Marvin Hamlett); Hosting the Show (JoAnna Layne, Wendy Harris, Amy Covington); Coordinating the Acts (Nancy Cole) and Photographer (Howard Anderson).

Appreciation is also extended to the ACHS Drama Club for use of a sound system and to Cecil Jacobs and Roy Brennen for their coordination of the lighting and sound.

Happiness is 4-H

Annual awards banquet slated for Jan. 23

By FRANK H. SWEET
Extension Agent

The Annual 4-H Awards Banquet is scheduled for Monday evening, Jan. 23, at 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria of Appomattox County High School. The program is held each year to recognize 4-H members who have done outstanding work in projects and activities. Invitations will be sent to more than 60 Appomattox 4-H'ers in early January.

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As our Senior 4-H members (14-19) begin working on their achievement records for the March 1 deadline, there are some suggestions we can make to younger members about keeping accurate 4-H records. One suggestion is that 4-H project work is most important. Keeping accurate records is also important. We've suggested that young people utilize a calendar at home and record each 4-H activity or event they participate in during the year. Participaiton is the real key to building a strong 4-H record. Parents can be a big help toward effective 4-H records by taking pictures of their young person working on projects, participation in events or giving presentations. 4-H achievement records provide the opportunity for members to attend National 4-H Congress and the chance to win National 4-H scholarships.

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Appomattox 4-H members will attend camp at Holiday Lake during the week of July 9-13, 1984. The cost per member will be $50.00. Discounts will be provided if there is a second or third child going to camp from the same family. Details and applications will be made available to all members during their April meetings.

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The recent fund-raising effort for the Holiday Lake 4-H Center was a big success. Winners of the three big prizes were Richard Morse of Mecklenburg, 1984 Chevette; Vivian Sprague of Cumberland, Microwave oven; and Gilbert Mays of Appomattox, 10 Speed Bicycle. Thanks to all folks who participated in the fund-raising program.

Strawberry orders are beginning to come in to the Extension Office. 4-H families may choose from four varieties of strawberries (Earliglow, Scott, Surecrop and Delite). Orders will be combined and plants ordered in early February. Forms are available from the Appomattox Extension Office.

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The Lucky Clover 4-H Community Club of Pamplin and the 4-H Achievers Club of Appomattox presented families in their respective communities with special boxes of Christmas goodies. The Teen Leader 4-H Club took up a donation for the Appomattox Rescue Squad during their covered dish Christmas supper. Community involvement is an important part of being in a community 4-H club.

Appomattox Junior FFA

chapter holds meeting

By KATHY BEASLEY
Reporter-Historian

The Appomattox Junior Chapter FFA held its November - December meeting December 13, 1983.

Amy Morris brought the meeting to order.

The minutes from the October meeting were read by Robin Martin.

Tammy Marsh led us in devotions.

The Federation report was read by our Federation reporter, Beth Marston.

Awards for candle sales were given out by Amy Morris.

Two skits prepared by Susan Carnefix, Mary Beth Drinkard, and some of our members were presented by other 7th and 8th grade members.

Our officers led us in some Christmas carols while Santa Claus came to visit.

Amy Morris adjourned the meeting.

More than $15,000 raised

Fundraiser a success

Holiday Lake 4-H Center Auto Fund Raiser involving seventeen counties was a big success. The district-wide project raised $15,137 which will be used for renovation and expansion of the facilities at the 4-H Center.

The drawing took place on December 20, 1983, at the East Central District Extension Office. The winners were Richard Morse, Boydton, Va. - 1984 Chevette; Vivian Sprague, Cumberland, Va. - Microwave Oven and G. E. Mays, Appomattox, Va. - Ten-speed Bicycle.

The Holiday Lake 4-H Center Board of Directors and staff would like to thank all of the volunteers, 4-H members and Extension staff for their great support of this fund raising project. A special thanks to Moses Motor Co., Appomattox Hardware Company, Sears Catalog merchants and Jim Nolen Associates for their very generous support.

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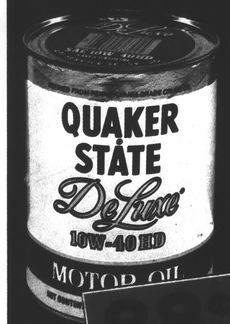

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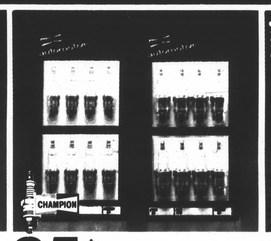

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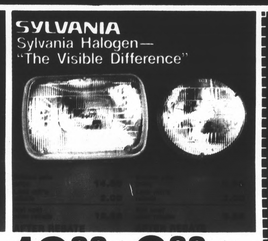

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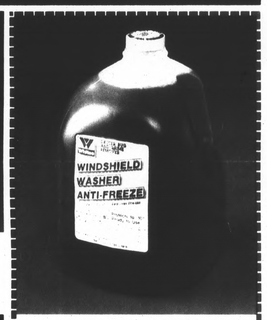

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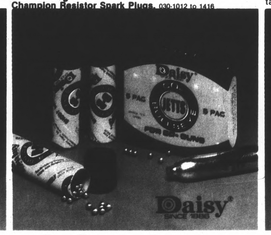

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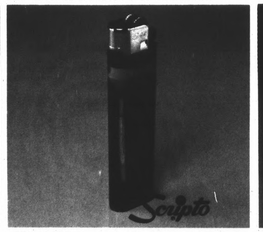

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